

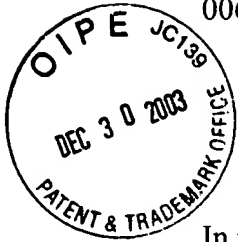
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROSECUTION - GROUP ART UNIT 1774

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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:)
: Examiner: M. Yamnitzky
AKIRA TSUBOYAMA ET AL.)
: Group Art Unit: 1774
Application No.: 09/961,150)
: Filed: September 24, 2001)
: For: LUMINESCENCE DEVICE AND)
METAL COORDINATION)
COMPOUND THEREFOR) December 29, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

A. Introductory Comments

I. Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the final Office Action dated July 31, 2003 for two (2) months from October 31, 2003 to December 31, 2003. A check in the amount of \$420.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

II. This is in response to the final Office Action dated July 31, 2003, the

period for reply having been extended by the above petition and payment of the extension fee. Please amend the above-captioned application as follows and consider the following remarks.